

specification on pages 4 and 8. These are corrected herein. In addition, it was observed that there was a duplication of numerals on Figs. 12 and 13 which required correction of numerals on both the drawings and page 10 of the specification.

One superfluous numeral has been deleted from Figs. 12 and 13. Also lead lines have been extended in Figs. 15 and 16. Copies of the drawings showing these changes in red are enclosed and the Examiner's approval of the changes are requested.

Applicant has added three new claims, including an independent claim 33 believed to be generic to the several species shown in the drawings and a dependent claim defining the position of the "support" with more particularity and the fact that the ends of the weight are unsupported as clearly illustrated in all figures of the drawings.

Petitions to Make Special by reason of ill health of the inventor have been filed in this and another pending application for this inventor. The other petition has been granted, and it is consequently believed that the petition in this case will be granted momentarily as well.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification and to the claims by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "Version With Markings to Show Changes Made".

Entry of this amendment is requested.

In the Specification:

Paragraph beginning at line 17 of page 4 has been amended as follows:

Other objects and advantages will become apparent from consideration of the following description ~~taken~~ taken in connection with the drawings.

Paragraph beginning at line 15 of page 8 has been amended as follows:

Fig. 5 is a perspective view of another embodiment of the invention. In this view, the clubhead 30 includes a clubface 32, a soleplate 34, an integral hosel 36, and a rear face 38. Extending from a position high on the rear face is a shaft or support 40 ~~center~~ centered on an elongated cylindrical weight 42. A top view of this embodiment is shown in Fig. 6. Note that support 40 extends from the top of rear face 38. This embodiment is preferably cast as a single unitary piece.

Paragraph beginning at line 2 of page 10 has been amended as follows:

Fig. 12 is a perspective view of a further embodiment of the invention in which the clubhead ~~70~~ 90 is preferably cast as a single unitary piece, including a hosel ~~74~~ 91, and the elongated weight member ~~72~~ 92 is supported on the soleplate ~~74~~ 94 of the clubhead. In this embodiment, the support ~~73~~ 93 may be integral with or directly supported on the rearwardly extending soleplate ~~74~~ 94.

In the Claims:

The following claims 33-35 have been added:

33. A golf putter with a clubhead comprising a body having a striking face and a generally horizontal soleplate, the improvement thereon comprising:

a support extending rearwardly with respect to the striking face from the back side of said striking face and a weight member attached to said support such that said weight member is evenly balanced on opposite sides of its attachment to said support.

34. A golf putter as claimed in claim 33 wherein said support extends generally parallel to said soleplate.

35. A golf putter as claimed in claim 33 wherein said weight is unsupported at its ends.

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Dear Sir:

PROPOSED DRAWING AMENDMENT

Enclosed are drawing sheets showing in red proposed corrections to Figs. 12, 13, 15, and 16.

Corresponds to the Specification

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| Fig. 12 | change numerals as shown | Page 10, lines 2-6 and 8 |
| Fig. 13 | change numerals as shown | |
| Fig. 15 | extend lead line from numeral 78 | |
| Fig. 16 | extend lead line from numeral 79 | |

This amendment does not add any new matter and its approval is requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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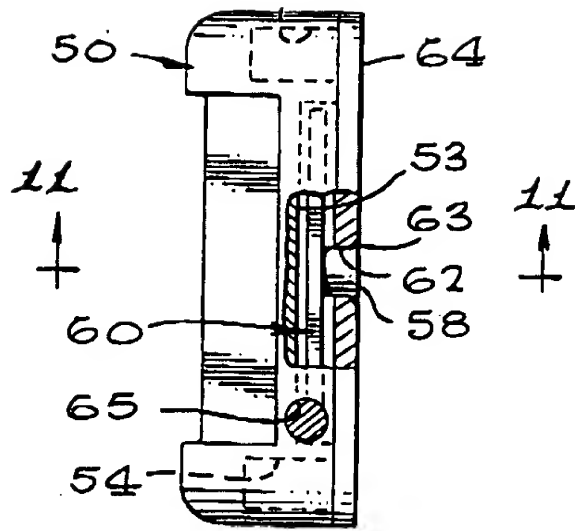


FIG. 10

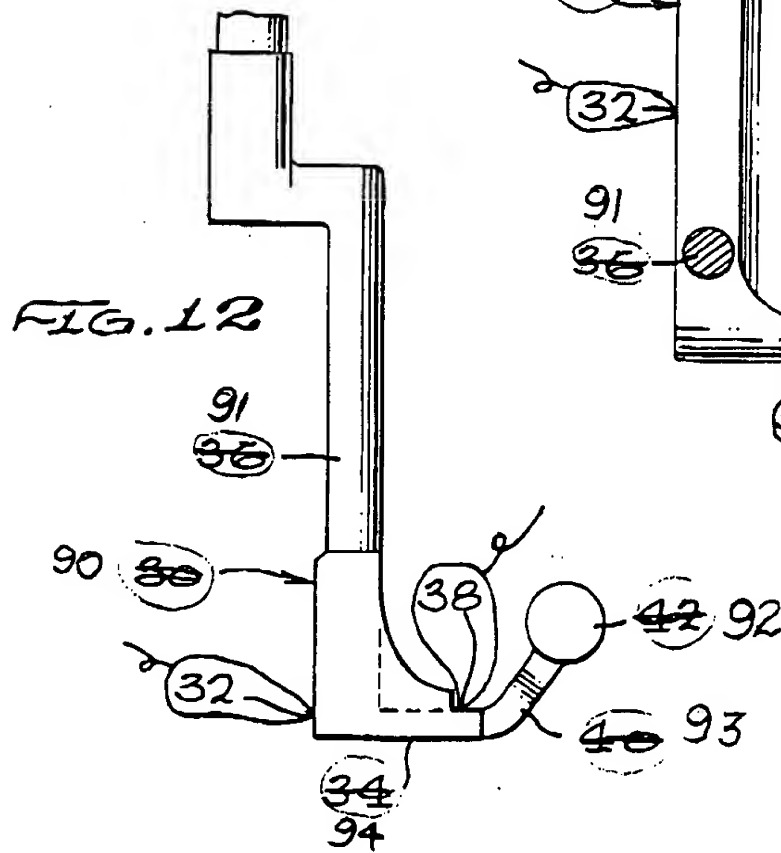


FIG. 12

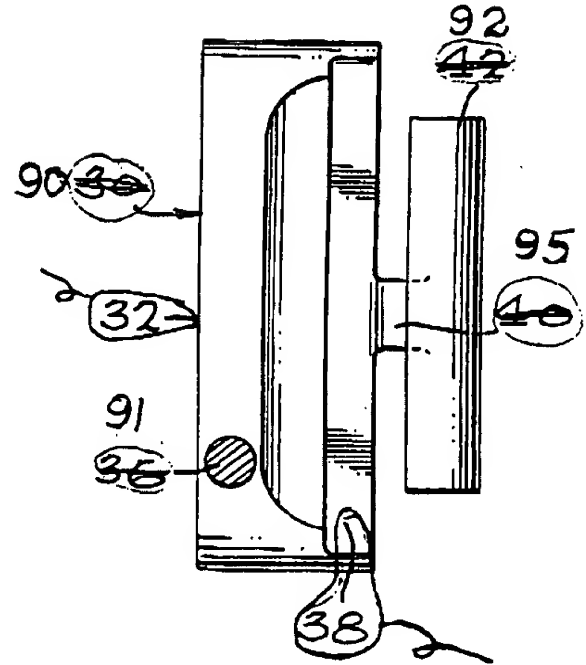


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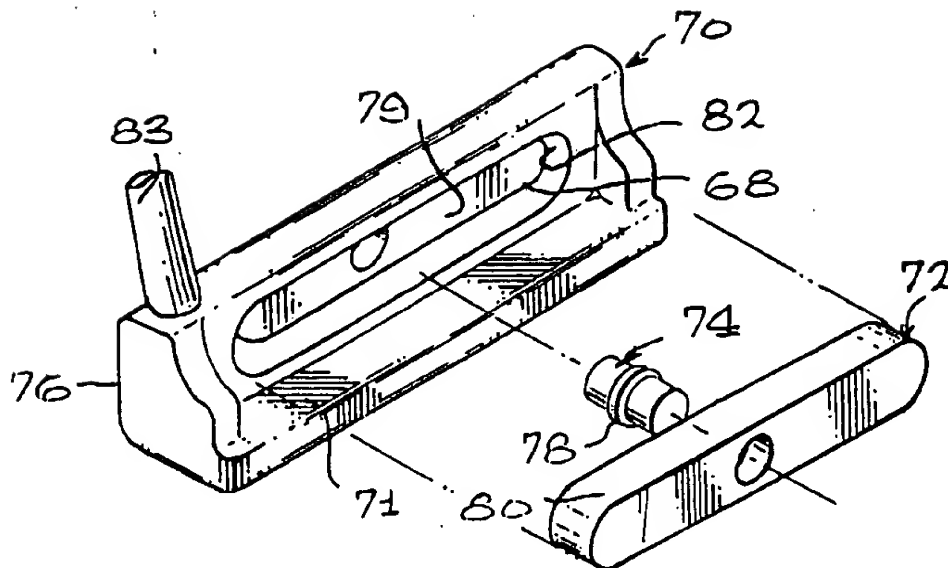


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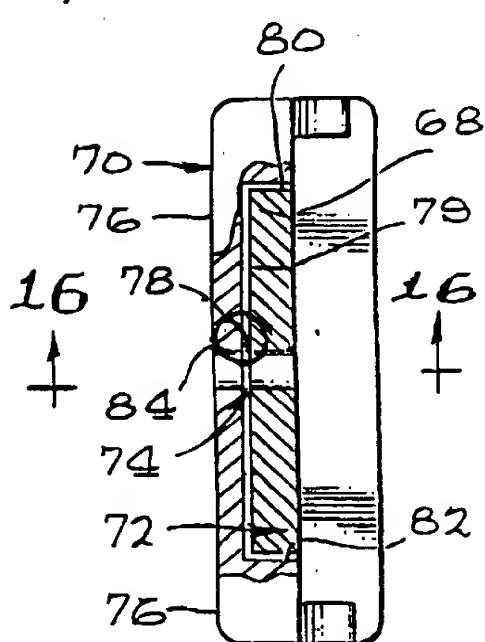


FIG. 17

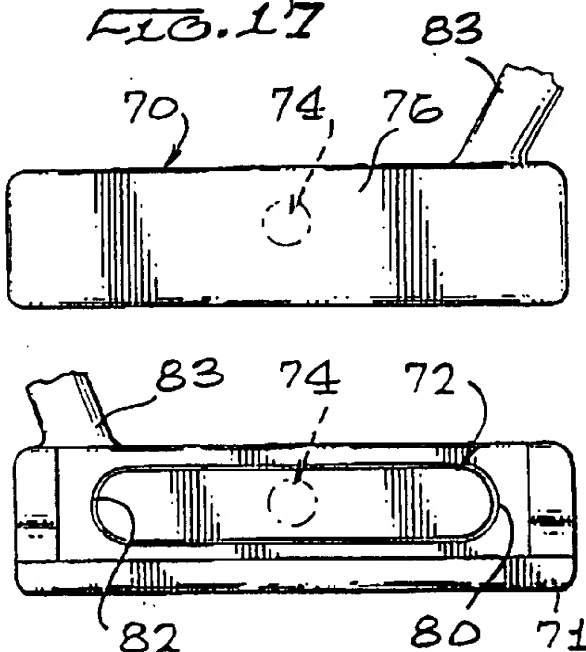


FIG. 18

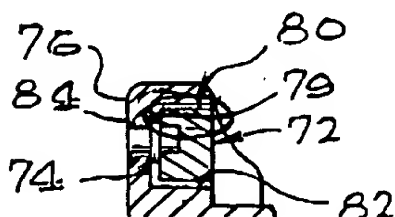


FIG. 16